

F 5,340,742 on August 23, 1994, which is a continuation-in-part of U.S. Patent Application Serial No.
F 07/911,760, filed July 10, 1992, now U.S. Patent No. 5,340,594, issued August 23, 1994.

F This application is also a continuation-in-part of U.S. Patent Application Serial No.
F 08/918,325, filed August 26, 1997, now U.S. Patent No. 5,985,348, issued November 16, 1999,
F which is a ^{division} continuation of U.S. Patent Application Serial No. 08/483,477, filed June 7, 1995, now
F U.S. Patent No. 5,698,244, issued December 16, 1997, which is a continuation-in-part of U.S. Patent
F Application Serial No. 08/292,736, filed August 18, 1994, now U.S. Patent No. ^{5,656,319}
F ~~August 12, 1997~~, which is a continuation of U.S. Patent Application Serial No. 07/911,760, filed
F July 10, 1992, now U.S. Patent No. 5,340,594, issued August 23, 1994.

F This application is also related to, but does not claim priority from U.S. Patent Application
F Serial No. 07/580,778, filed September 11, 1990, which issued as U.S. Patent No. 5,130,242 on July
F ~~14, 1992~~, which is a continuation-in-part of U.S. Patent Application Serial No. 07/439,093, filed
F November 17, 1989, ^{now} ~~which was previously expressly~~ abandoned, which is a continuation-in-part of
F U.S. Patent Application Serial No. 07/241,410, filed September 7, 1988, ^{now} ~~which was previously~~
F ~~expressly~~ abandoned.

All of the above patents and patent applications are incorporated herein by reference in their
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